

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 2, 2009**

G039648 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
 v.
 JASON R. EURICH

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed in part, reversed in part and remanded.

MOORE, J.

We concur: BEDSWORTH, ACTING P. J.
 FYBEL, J.

G039873 CERADYNE, INC.
 v.
 ARGONAUT INSURANCE COMPANY

Order filed. The above entitled cause is ordered submitted this date.

SILLS, P. J.

G039916 CRISTOS CATSOURAS, et al.
 v.
 AARON REICH

Order filed. The above entitled cause is ordered submitted this date.

SILLS, P. J.

G039973 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
 v.
 JOHNNY A. GUERRERO

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

FYBEL, J.

We concur: BEDSWORTH, ACTING P. J.
 ARONSON, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 2, 2009 (cont'd)**

G039081 PRICE PFISTER, INC. Not for publication
 v.
 TRIMAS CORPORATION

Order filed. Order modifying opinion and denying petition for rehearing; no change in judgment.

FYBEL, J.

We concur: O'LEARY, ACTING P. J.
 MOORE, J.

G040184 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
 v.
 JON D. TAFOYA

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

FYBEL, J.

We concur: BEDSWORTH, ACTING P. J.
 MOORE, J.

G040464 CARL KUTTER Not for publication
 v.
 GEORGE VALVERDE,
 as Director, etc.

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

FYBEL, J.

We concur: SILLS, P. J.
 BEDSWORTH, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
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March 3, 2009**

G037553 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
v.
CHRISTOPHER DIEP and
KHA DINH TRAN

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

FYBEL, J.

We concur: SILLS, P. J.
 ARONSON, J.

G039602 KENNETH GHARIB Not for publication
v.
NOVASTAR MORTGAGE, INC.

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

MOORE, ACTING P. J.

We concur: ARONSON, J.
 FYBEL, J.

G039797 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
v.
GONZALO CRISANTE

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

MOORE, J.

We concur: BEDSWORTH, ACTING P. J.
 ARONSON, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 3, 2009 (cont'd)**

G039806 THE PEOPLE Certified for publication
 v.
 RICHMAN EM

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

FYBEL, J.

I concur: BEDSWORTH, ACTING P. J.
I concur & Dissent: MOORE, J.

G039918 THE PEOPLE Not for publication
 v.
 JUAN CRUZ

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed in part and reversed in part.

RYLAARSDAM, J.

We concur: SILLS, P. J.
 O'LEARY, J.

G039954 DAVID CHRISTAKES Not for publication
 v.
 ROBERT EKSTROM et al.

Opinion filed. The judgment is reversed and remanded.

O'LEARY, J.

We concur: RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.
 ARONSON, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 3, 2009 (cont'd)**

G040473 R.S. Not for publication
 v.
 SUPERIOR COURT; M.L.

Opinion filed. The petition is denied.

O'LEARY, J.

We concur: SILLS, P. J.
 RYLAARSDAM, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 5, 2009**

G039206 KIMOANH NGUYEN-LAM
 v.
 SINH CUONG CAO

Order filed. The petition for rehearing is denied.

ARONSON, J.

We concur: SILLS, P. J.
 O’LEARY, J.

G039686 LARRY MENKE, INC. et al.
 v.
 DAIMLERCHRYSLER MOTORS CO. et al.

Order filed. The petition for rehearing is denied.

ARONSON, J.

We concur: RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.
 O’LEARY, J.

G040282 JUAN HONG
 v.
 KARI D. SEARLES et al.

Order filed. The petition for rehearing is denied.

RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.

We concur: ARONSON, J.
 FYBEL, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 5, 2009 (cont'd)**

G040503 ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL
SERVICES AGENCY
v.
N.I.

Order filed. The petition for rehearing is denied.

SILLS, P. J.

We concur: RYLAARSDAM, J.
 ARONSON, J.

G040744 BLACKFORD INVESTIGATIONS Not for publication
& CONSULTING SERVICES
v.
KIM SEIDENBERG

Opinion filed. The appeal is reversed and remanded with directions.

BY THE COURT

Before RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J., MOORE, J. and FYBEL, J.

G041302 RICHARD MELIM
v.
CITY OF CYPRESS

Order filed. The court invited parties to submit letter brief addressing the court's jurisdiction to hear the matter. Both parties filed letter briefs in response. Having read the papers concludes the notice of appeal was not timely filed. (C.R.C., rule 108(b)(1)(A)). The appeal is dismissed.

RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 6, 2009**

G035266 THE PEOPLE
 v.
 TIMMY MICHAEL GIFFIN

Order filed. The above entitled cause is ordered submitted this date.

SILLS, P. J.

G038918 THE PEOPLE
 v.
 FRANCISCO J. MALDONADO

Not for publication

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

O'LEARY, ACTING P. J.

We concur: MOORE, J.
 FYBEL, J.

G039586 LARRY MENKE, INC. et al.
 v.
 DAIMLERCHRYSLER MOTORS CO. et al.

Order filed. Attorney Ann Marie Mortimer, for respondents DaimlerChrysler Motors Co. et al., has requested that section II, subsection A, of our opinion, filed on February 9, 2009, be certified for publication. It appears portions of the opinion meet the standards set forth in California Rules of Court, rule 8.1105(c). The request is therefore GRANTED. (See Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.1110 [providing for partial publication].) Accordingly, the opinion is ordered published in the Official Reports, with the exception of section II, subsection B.

ARONSON, J.

We concur: RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.
 O'LEARY, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3
March 6, 2009**

G039716 DAEHNKE & CRUZ, Not for publication
A CALIFORNIA GENERAL PARTNERSHIP
v.
STEVEN A. FINK et al.

Opinion filed. The judgment is affirmed.

O'LEARY, J.

We concur: RYLAARSDAM, ACTING P. J.
ARONSON, J.

G041228 THE PEOPLE
v.
FRANCISCO G. HERNANDEZ

Order filed. The above entitled cause is ordered submitted this date.

SILLS, P. J.